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New Director of Operations and Facilities Joins SOS Children's Village B.C. Charity

Surrey, British Columbia SOS Children's Village B.C. is pleased to announce the addition of Carla Niemi to their team as Director of Operations & Facilities.

Carla Niemi has served primarily in the not-for-profit sector following progressive advancements in two multi-national corporations and in one of the leading universities in Western Canada for the past 18 years. She has achieved admirable operational results as Interim Executive Director in an international non-governmental organization, served on the Board of Childcare International for five years, and as Board Chair for one year.

Carla's experience comes from several industries: telcos, corporate retail, oil & gas and manufacturing. Her years of service has developed a culmination of aptitudes in organization structure, financial performance, and analysis that includes considerable cross cultural experience managing international contracts.

Carla's passion is Indigenous Reconciliation. She participated and networked in the Truth and Reconciliation Commission events in Vancouver and Montreal, and has attended the annual North American Institute for Indigenous Theological Studies symposiums in Portland and Chicago.

She currently volunteers on two committees working to advocate, educate, and participate in reconciliation initiatives in the Lower Mainland.

About SOS Children's Village BC

SOS Children's Villages is the world's largest non-governmental, non-denominational child development organization and cares for fostered, orphaned, or abandoned children. It has existed for over 65 years with presence in 135 countries and 572 Villages. British Columbia is home to the only SOS Children's Village in Canada. SOS Children's Village BC provides homes, a supportive community, and programs to help foster children and youth in need grow into caring, self-reliant adults.

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